REPORT OF THE CONDITION Merchants' National Bank

OF INDIANAPOLIS,

At the Close of Business Tuesday, March 5, 1895.

RESOURCES. \$167,302.82 598,600,00 250,000.00 oans and discounts

Demand loans
United States 4 per cent. bonds.
City of Indp'ils. Marion and other
county bonds.
CASH ASSETS— U. S. 4 per cent.
bonds on hand. \$100,000.00
Due from banks. 633,872.78
Due from U. S.

1,239,503.19 49,000.00 Vault, safe and furniture. 83,556,404.26

LIABILITIES. \$1,000,000.00 70,131.44 225,000.00 3,261,272.82 \$3.556,404.26

OFFICERS. J. P. FRENZEL, President. O. N. FRENZEL, Vice Pres. and Cash. FRANK FAHNLEY, Second Vice Pres. A. F. KOPP. Asst. Cashier. O. F. FRENZEL. Asst. Cashier.

STOCKS WERE ACTIVE

WEEK'S BUSINESS IN WALL STREET SHOWS WIDE CHANGES.

Sugar Trust Shares Jump Up to Par Again-Local Market the Best Since December.

At New York, Saturday, money on call

was nominally 21/2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3%@5 per cent. Sterling exchange was dull but steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.89@4.8914 for demand and at \$4.87%@4.88 for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.8814@4.90; commercial bills, \$4.86%.

Silver certificates, 60%c; no sales. Bar silver, 601/6c; Mexican dollars, 48%c. At London, bar silver 27 11-16d. Weekly bank statement shows the follow-

ing changes: e, decrease 2,368,500 l tender, decrease 3,015,100 sits, decrease 470,900 lation, increase 30,000

the requirements of the 25-per-cent, rule. Exports of specie from the port of New York for the week amounted to \$1,714,400 in gold and \$579,360 in silver. The imports were: Gold, \$1,706,352; silver, \$58,200; dry goods, \$3,140,480; general merchandise, \$6,-

Total sales of stocks were 109,843 shares, including: American Sugar, 50,100; Baltimore & Ohio, 2,100; Burlington, 1,600; Delaware & Hudson, 2,100; Distilling, 3,000; Erie, 4,000; Louisville & Nashville, 4,900; New Jersey Central, 3,900; Northwest, 2,400; St. Paul. 10,700; Union Pacific, 2,000; Western Union, 1,100.

Share speculation was quite active for a Saturday and in the main strong in tone, the purchases being largely for the short the purchases being largely for the short account. The market was heaviest in the early dealings, when London was a seller of the arbitrage specialties. At the end of a half hour the downward movement was checked and during the rest of the day the trend of prices was, as a rule, upward, the market closing in good tone. Sugar led the market in point of activity and was in good demand until this stock touched 100, a gain of 1% on Friday night touched 100, a gain of 1% on Friday night. Then realizing sales caused a reaction of Then realizing sales caused a reaction of 1¼, with a final rally of ¾; the preferred moved up 1¾ per cent., Baltimore & Ohio sold up 2¾c per cent., losing ½ per cent. at the close. Canadian Pacific advanced 3¼ per cent., the last being the highest prices made. The grangers were inactive, except St. Paul, which was sold in round amounts by London houses, but receded only ½ per cent. and regained ¾ on late covering. The coalers are but slightly changed on the day. Advances were recorded in Lake Shore of 1½ and Tobacco of 1½ and declines were established of 1½ in Illinois Central, 1½ in Denver & Rio Grande preferred and 1 per cent. in Cotton Oil. St. Paul & Omaha preferred sold at 104½, sellers, against 109½ the previous regular sale. The other changes were fractional.

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The week's transactions aggregated 1,136,000 shares, a greater total than for some weeks past. The increased activity was mainly due to a heavy movement in Sugar, coincident with the declaration of the quarterly dividend. Preceding the directors' meeting rumors were cleverly circulated creating a general impression that the dividend would be scaled from 2 per cent. to 24 or 2. Short sales were thereby induced, and the price was lowered from 93% to 91%. When, on Thursday, the full dividend was declared, the price rose, and par was reached Saturday, with a subsequent reaction to 99%. The net galn on the week is 6½. The preferred stock made an advance of 2½ per cent. Baltimere & Ohio was subjected to continuous hammering up to Friday, when the low figure of 49 was touched, a break of 8% per cent from the previous week. The decline was due to reports that there was a probability that the road would be piaced in the hands of a receiver, and also that a reduction of dividend would be rendered necessary. Denial of the receivership story and the assurance that the company is in a good financial condition caused a rally of 4 per cent, restricting the net loss to 4%. Canadian Paclac fell 10 per cent. to 23, but rallied to 364. Chicago Gas began the week with an improvement of 114 per cent, to 72, but the mayoralty approval of the ordinance granting a franchise to an opposition company sent the price down to 70. Subsequently the stock rose to 724. Reading was sold down 2 per cent. The Coal shares were higher in the early dealings and New Jersey Central gained 2% per cent. and Delaware & Hudson 114. Subsequent unfavorable developments in the anthracite industry brought about a recession in New Jersey Central of 44 per cent., Delaware & Hudson 34 and Lackawanna. 3. The low figures induced purchases and the net losses are but 14 in New Jersey Central, 1% in Delaware & Hudson 34 per cent. on a renewal of the talk that the divide

per cent.: Tobacco, 4: Cotton Oil preferred.

3: Leather preferred. 2%, and Evansville & Terre Haute, Great Northern preferred.

Lead and Pittsburg & Western preferred.

2. Declines—Oregon Improvement, 3% per cent.; St. Paul, M. & M., 3, and Quicksilver preferred.

The bond trading during the day was rather quiet and the majority of transactions were at slightly lower figures. The aggregate sales were \$396,500. The bond market during the week was active, but somewhat irregular. Aggregate of sales were \$1.22,500. The main changes are: Declines—International & Great Northern thirds, 9 per cent.; Lehigh & Wilkesbarre fives, 7; Union Pacific collateral trust sixes, 5; Wheeling & Lake Erie Improvement fives, 3½, and Erie second consols and Mexican National firsts, 3. Advances—Green Bay firsts, 8 per cent, and Union Elevated firsts, Cleveland & Canton firsts and Peoria, Decatur & Evansville seconds, 3.

Government bonds were steady. State bonds were dull.

The following table, prepared by James

The following table, prepared by James E. Berry, Room 16, Board of Trade, shows the range of quotations:

Open- High Low- Clos-ing. est. est. ing. Adams Express
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Atchison 8% 8% 8% 141 Canada Pacific. 48 48 48 48 48 48 48 Central Pacific. 11 Chesapeake & Ohio. 11 Chicago & Alton. 12 Chicago & Alton. 19 70% 70% 80%

124g 264g 78g 20% 19% Manhattan . Manhattan
Michigan Central.
Missouri Pacific... 199k 19% 19%
National Cordage... 5% 5% 5½
National Cord., pref.
New Jersey Central. 83% 84% 83%
New York Central. 94% 95% 95% 94%
N. Y. & N. E. Northern Pacific Northern Pacific.

North. Pacific, pref. 1314 1374 1374

Northwestern 8734 8818 8734

Northwestern, pref.

Pacific Mail 2158 2158 2156

Peorite D. & E. Pullman Palace.

Reading 754 754 754 8154 Rock Island 6115 6136 6136 6136 815 Paul 54 5414 5378 St. Paul pref.

Sugar Refinery 9834 100 9834 U.S. Express

Weekly Review. Henry Clews, of New York, in his review of operations in Wall street last week, takes a more optimistic view of the future than he has done for many months. He

"Affairs in Wall street have taken on a more cheerful aspect. The dissolution of Congress has removed the political restraints that have held both investment and speculative operations in check for the last three months, and it is felt that there is now a clear outlook for many months ahead without the possibility of any legislative freaks calculated to obstruct the even flow of business. This change has the more effect because it is perceived that the same cause is fufusing a more hopeful tone into mercantile and industrial circles and is suggesting the probability of a healthier trade this spring than has been experienced for the last four seasons. Men have become so wearied of the past two years of worry, suspense, apprehension and actual loss that they are not disposed to prolong their pessimism, but rather to indulge in more optimistic views, if it be only for the luxury of a change from the blues to hope; and they reason that, even if their hopes should be disappointed, they will be in no worse case than if they had continued to nurse their fears, and would at least have the advantage of a happier frame of feeling. At the same time, as a matter of cool business calculation, the street has reached a very decided conviction that better business conditions lie very close at hand. They see the country full of wants; with stocks of goods depleted to the lowest point; with prices of goods lower than at any time for twenty-five years; with all sorts of enterprise deferred and the process of wealth making held in suspense; and they can discover no sufficient reason why this state of stagnancy should be much longer maintained. They argue that there is no lack of capital and no obstacle to credit to warrant a continuance of the last two years paralysis of trade, and that the fears incidental to the deranged condition of the public finances have now ceased to exercise any finances have now ceased to exercise any depressing effect upon business confidence. Wall street is thus coming at last to inhale the ozone of hope; and we may soon wit-ness the exhilarating effects of this health-ier atmosphere. Very much of this im-provement is due to the successful work-ing of the plans of the loan syndicate. The mention; its dangers are regarded as permanently removed; and the whole brood of apprehensions connected with the endless-chain derangements is felt to be a matter

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"The mystification growing out of large London sales of stocks on our market for nearly two weeks past has been explained in a way to remove the doubts, felt in some quarters, that the syndicate might encounter obstacles in the execution of their programme. It now appears that those sales, instead of being an expression of English distrust or meaning that little value was placed upon the syndicate's intervention, were not sales at all by English holders of our securities, but by the London agents of New York bear operators. This discovery removed the misgivings about the effect of the syndicate operations and has increased confidence that the great bankers will conduct their operations to a safe issue without any disturbance to the interests centering at the Stock Exchange. In the meantime, the business of the railroads begins to show a gratifying degree of improvement, especially the lines doing a Southern of the past. ment, especially the lines doing a Southern and Southwestern traffic. The unexpectedly favorable character of the Pennsylvania raffroad has also produced a favorable im-

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"The market is, at the moment, subject to unusually lively attacks from the bears, the significance of which is not difficult to divine. It certainly cannot be due to any change in the situation really favoring a bearish policy. On the contrary, the factors affecting values are distinctly turning in favor of the opposite side. The feeling is better and the facts are better; and it needs no special keenness of sight to perceive that the tide has changed in favor of a recovery of prices. And in that fact is to be found an explanation of the pretentious aggressiveness of the bears. They are in a largely oversold position; they read the handwriting on the wall; and are making a great show of selling, both in New York and London, in order to conceal their buying to cover short contracts. Times have been when they would have been made to pay heavily for their temerity. But, in these conservative days, they may escape scot free.

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"With the adjournment of Congress the turn for the better is inevitable, and each day hereafter should demonstrate that fact. The unsettled condition of the business interests of this country for a prolonged period past is clearly traceable to Washington. Now that Congress has adjourned, that pernicious and prostrating influence no longer exists. Our troubles, therefore, are all behind us and have been thoroughly discounted. We have good reason to look forward to the prospect of good crops and a general improvement in business affairs. The principal argument, which the bears have used effectively as a weapon, has been the low price of cotton. If I mistake not, it will not be long before these same people will admit the falsity of their position, as I think it will be soon demonstrated that the low price of cotton will be the basis for an impetus in the manufacture of goods for export that will be a surprise to the country. International bimetallism is also likely to loom up as a factor in favor of higher prices and increased activity in grain, cotton and also securities. The current in favor of international bimetallism bids fair to become as strong throughout Europe as it is in this country, and under such a pressure a mutual arrangement for international coinage would appear to be almost inevitable. Within ten years the increase of indebtedness of European nations has aggregated \$5,600,000,000. During this period, with the exception of the past year, the bonded indebtedness of this country, we have greater reason to have that apprehension for their future condition, especially when our marvelously superior resources and greater earning power are contrasted with those of other nations.

"As to the questions of currency, highly important as they are, yet they have for a time ceased to rank among the matters affecting the immediate course of Wall street interests. They are too large, too

such a Congress as the one that handled them, and possibly by any other. They are now relegated for the consideration of the people, and will receive the most serious attention preparatory to the next national elections. Whatever may be the conclusions reached by public opinion, they are sure to reflect the cautious common sense of the nation, and we may therefore reasonably hope that the final settlement will be a sound one. In the meantime, we have to deal with the matters of practical business; and, relieved of these vexatious theoretic contentions, the nation will return to retic contentions, the nation will return to its work of producing and merchanting with renewed confidence and fresh vigor. Already there is unmistakable evidence in our local markets of preparations for an increased spring business. The city is filling up with buyers from the interior; there is no longer the dubious haggling about prices that has prevailed for the last two years; and manu-

facturers begin to express surprise at the increasing orders for goods. To my view, the signs of the hour mean nothing less than a good old-fashioned spring and fall trade." Saturday's Bank Clearings. At Baltimore Clearings, \$1,852,123; bal-ances, \$203,198. At St. Louis—Clearings, \$3,772,805; balances, \$786,048.
At Philadelphia—Clearings, \$9,869,527; balances, \$1,465,420; for the week, \$61,527,155; balances, \$8,938,552. At Chicago-Clearings, \$12,730,000; for the week, \$88,918,000. New York exchange, par. Sterling exchange, posted, \$4.90 and \$4.832. Money, 16412 per cent. on call, 565 per cent. on time.

At Cincinnati-Money, 466 per cent. New

York exchange, par and 40c premium, Clearings, \$1,994,650; for the week, \$12,479,500; for the same week last year, \$11,637,950; for At New York-Clearings, \$76,833,485; balances, \$2,389,489; for the week, \$504,206,450; balances, \$2,379,971. At Boston-Clearings, \$14,904,512; balances, \$1,841,682; for the week, \$86,395,085; balances,

LOCAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE. Best Week's Trade of the Present

Year, with Firm Prices. In most departments the trade of the week ending March 9 was the largest of any week in the present year and the outlook for a good spring business brightens. Wholesale grocers, millinery houses, boot and shoe men, leather dealers and hardware merchants all speak of business as improving and say that the trade of the past week was the most gratifying of any week for some time. In prices fluctuations were few. This week closed with sugar 'sc higher and other staple groceries unchanged. In dry goods there were no changes. In produce eggs declined from 18 to 12 cents and shippers predict still lower prices with genuine spring weather. Everything in the vegetable line is selling higher than in March last year. Oranges are coming in freely and taking the place of apples which are now in the luxury list. Provisions are moving more freely than at any time in months. The hide market is quiet and seed market active. Agricul-

is quiet and seed market active. Agricultural implement dealers report trade brisk and in excess of March, 1894.

The local grain market was rather tame the entire week. The bidding on change was indifferent and little interest was shown in either cereal and the variation in prices from day to day slight. The week closed with track bids ruling as follows:

Wheat—No 2 red. 53½c; No. 3 red. 51c; wagon wheat, 52c.

Corn—No. 1 white, 42½; No. 2 white, 42½c; No. 3 white corn, 42½c; No. 2 white, mixed, 41½c; No. 3 white mixed, 41½c; No. 2 yellow, 41½c; No. 3 mixed, 41½c; No. 2 mixed, 41½c; No. 3 mixed Rye-No. 2, 45c for car lots, 43c for wagon

Bran-\$12. Hay-No. 1 timothy, \$9; No. 2, \$8; No. 1 prairie, \$7.50; mixed, \$6.50; clover, \$6.50 per Poultry and Other Produce. (Prices Paid by Shippers.)

Poultry—Hens, 7c per lb; chickens. 7c; cocks, 3c; turkeys, toms, 4c per lb; hens, 7c per lb; ducks, 6c per lb; geese, \$4.80@5.40 per dozen for choice.

Eggs—Shippers paying 12c.

Butter—Choice, 10@12c.

Honey-18c. Feathers-Prime geese, 30@32c per lb; Feathers—Prime geese, 30@22c per 1b; mixed duck, 20c per 1b.
Game—Rabbits, 60@55c; mallard ducks, \$2.50 per doz; venison, per pound, 15@16c.
Beeswax—20c for yellow; 15c for dark.
Wool—Medium unwashed, 12c; fine merino unwashed, 8c; Cotswold and coarse combing, 10@12c; tub-washed, 16@18c; burry and unmerchantable, 5c less.

HIDES, TALLOW, ETC. Hides-No. 1 green-salted hides, 54c; No. 2, 4%c. Calf Skins-Green-salted No. 1, 7c; No. Grease-White, 4%c; yellow, 3%c; brown,

Tallow-No. 1, 4c; No. 2, 3½c. Bones-Dry, \$12@13 per ton.

THE JOBBING TRADE. (The quotations given below are the selling rices of wholesale dealers.)

Candles and Nuts Candies—Stick, 6c per lb; common, mixed, 6c; G. A. R. mixed, 6½; Banner stick, 10c; cream mixed, 9c; old-time mixed, 7c.

Nuts—Soft-shelled almonds, 16c; English walnuts, 12c; Brazil nuts, 9c; filberts, 11c; peanuts, roasted, 6@7c; mixed nuts, 10@12c.

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Peaches—Standard 3-pound, \$1.85@2; 3-pound seconds, \$1.50@1.65; 3-pound pie, \$1@1.10; California standard, \$2.25@2.50; California seconds, \$1.85@2. Miscellaneous—Blackberries, 2-pound, 90@95c; raspberries, 2-pound, 95c@\$1; pineapple, standard, 2-pound, \$1.25@1.55; choice, \$2@2.25; cove oysters, 1-pound, full weight, 90@95c; light, 55@70c; 2-pound, full, \$1.80@1.90; light, \$1.10@1.20; string beans, \$5@95c; Lima beans, \$1.10@1.20; string beans, \$5@95c; Lima beans, \$1.10@1.30; peas, marrowfat, \$1.10@1.20; early June, \$1.25@1.50; lobsters, \$1.85@2; red cherries, \$1.20@1.25; strawberries, \$1.20@1.30; salmon (lbs), \$1.10@2; 3-pound tomatoes, \$5@90c.

Coal and Coke.

Anthracite coal, all sizes, \$7.50 per ton;
Pittsburg and Raymond City, \$4.25 per ton;
Jackson, \$4.25; block, \$3.25; Island City, \$3;
Blossburg and English cannel, \$5. All nut
coals 50c below above quotatoins.
Coke—Connellsville, \$3.75 per load;
crushed, \$3.25 per load; lump, \$3 per load. Drugs.

Alcohol. \$2.54@2.66; assafetida, 40c; alum, 4@5c; camphor, 47@50c; cochineal, 50@55c; chloroform, 60@65c; copperas, brls, 75@85c; cream tartar, pure, 26@28c; indigo, 65@80c; licorice, Calab., genuine, 30@40c; magnesia, carb., 2-oz. 25@35c; morphine, P. & W., per oz., \$2.05@2.30; madder, 14@16c; oil, castor, per gal, 96c@\$1; oil, bergamot, per lb. \$3; opium, \$2.65; quinine, P. & W., per oz., 35@40c; balsom copalba, 60@65c; soap, castile, Fr., 12@16c; soda bicarb., 44@6c; salt-peter, 8@20c; turpentine, 36@40c; glycerine, 14@20c; lodide potassium, \$3@3.10; bromide potassium, 40@45c; chlorate potash, 20c; borax, 12@14c; cinchonida, 12@15c; carbolic acid, 22@26c.

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Oils-Linseed, 59@62c per gal; coal oil, le-gal test, 7@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 50c; Labrador, 60c; West Virginia lubricating, 20@30c; miners', 45c. Lard oils-Winter strained, in brls, 60c per gal; in half brls, 3c per gal extra. Dried Fruits.

Figs-Layer, 11@14c per lb.
Raisins-Loose Muscatel, \$1.25@1.40 per box; London layer, \$1.35@1.75 per box; Valencia, 614@814c per lb; layer, 9@10c.
Peaches-Common, sun-dried, 8@10c per lb; California, 10@12c; California, fancy, 1214@

Apricots—Evaporated, 9@13c.
Prunes—California, 6@10c per lb.
Currants—11/2@5c per lb.
Dry Goods. Bleached Sheetings—Androscoggin L. 6c;
Berkeley, No. 60, 7c; Cabot, 6c; Capital, 6½c; Cumberland, 6½c; Dwight Anchor, 7½c; Fruit of the Loom, 6½c; Farwell, 6½c; Fitchville, 5½c; Full Width, 5½c; Gilt Edge, 5c; Gilded Age, 6c; Hill, 6½c; Hope, 5¾c; Linwood, 6½c; Lonsdale, 6½c; Lonsdale Cambric, 8½c; Masonville, 6¾c; Peabody, 5½c; Pride of the West, 10½c; Quinebaugh, 6c; Star of the Nation, 6c; Ten Strike, 5½c; Pepperell, 9-4, 15c; Pepperell, 10-4, 16½c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 15½c; Androscoggin, 10-4, 17c, Brown Sheetings—Atlantic A, 5¾c; Argyle, 5½c; Boott C, 4¾c; Buck's Head, 5½c; Clifton, CCC, 5c; Constitution, 40-inch, 7½c; Carlisie, 40-inch, 7c; Dwight Star, 6¾c; Great Falls E, 6c; Great Falls J, 4¾c; Hill Fine, 6½c; Indian Head, 5½c; Lawrence, LL, 4¼c; Pepperell E, 5½c; Pepperell R, 5c; Pepperell, 9-4, 13½c; Androscoggin, 10-4, 20¼c.

Prints—Allen dress styles, 4¾c; Allen's staples, 4¾c; Allen TR, 5c; Allen robes, 5½c; American indigo, 4¼c; Arnold LLC, 6½c; Cocheco fancy, 5c; Manchester fancy, 5c; Lawringe, 5½c; Pacific nourning, 6½c; Simpson's grays, 5c; Simpson's mourning, 5c; Pacific robes 5½c; Pacific nourning, 6½c; Simpson's grays, 5c; Simpson's mourning, 5c; Simpson's grays, 5c; Simpson's mourning, 5c; Amoskeng Persian dress, 6c; Bates Warwick dress, 6c; Johnson BF Fancies, 8½c; Lancaster, 5c; Lancaster Normandies, 6c; Carroliton, 4¾c; Renfrew Dress, 6c; Whittenton Heather, 6c; Calcutta Dress styles, 1½c.

Tickings—Amoskeag ACA, 10½c; Cones-

tenton Heather, 6c; Calcutta Dress styles, 514c.

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Grain Bags-Amoskeag, \$12.50; American, \$12.50; Frankinville, \$15; Harmony, \$12.50; Stark, \$17.50.

Flour. Straight grades, \$2.50@2.75; fancy grades, \$2.75@3; patent flour, \$3.25@3.75; low grades, \$1.50@2. Groceries.

Sugars—Hard, 41465c; confectioners' A, 414c; soft A, 3.9064.10c; extra C, 3.65623.85c; yellow C, 3.60623.85c; dark yellow, 2346334c. Coffee—Good, 26621c; prime, 21622c; strictly prime, 23624c; fancy green and yellow, 26628c; ordinary Java, 30146344c; Roasted—Old government Java, 33146344c; golden Rio, 26c; Bourbon Santos, 27c; gilded Santos, 26c; prime Santos, 25c; Cottage blended, 234c; Capital blended, 22c; Pilot, 214c; Dakota, 204c; Brazil, 20c; 1-pound packages, 224c.

Molasses and Syrups—New Orleans molasses, fair to prime, 30640c; choice, 40645c; syrups, 23629c.

Salt—In car lots, 95c6\$1; small lots, \$166 syrups, 23@20c. Salt-In car lots, 95c@\$1; small lots, \$1@ Spices—Pepper, 15@18c; allspice, 10@15c; cloves, 15@20c; cassia, 10@12c; autmegs, 65@ 75c per pound.

Rice—Louisiana. 44@54c; Carolina. 44@ Beans Choice hand-picked navy. \$2.15@ 2.25 per bu; medium hand-picked. \$2@2.10; limas, California. 54@6c per pound. Twine-Hemp, 12@18c per lb; wool, \$@10c; flax, 20@30c; paper, 15c; jute, 12@15c; cotton, 16@25c. Shot-\$1.20@1.25 per bar for drop. Lead-6½@7c for press-d bars. Flour Sacks (paper)—Plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$3.50; 1-16 brl, \$5; % brl, \$8; ¼ brl, \$16; No. 2 drab. plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$4.25; 1-16 brl, \$6.50; ½, \$10; ½, \$20; No. 1 cream.

plain. 1-32 brl. per 1,000. \$7; 1-16, \$8.75; 14.
314,50; 14. \$28,50. Extra charge for printing.
Wooden Dishes—No. 1. per 1,000. \$2.50; No.
2, \$2; No. 3, \$2,50; No. 5, \$4,50.
Woodenware—No. 1 tubs \$6,25@5.75; No. 2
tubs, \$4,50;75; No. 5 tubs, \$4@4.50; 3-hoop
palls, \$1.50@1.60; 2-hoop palls, \$1.15@1.25;
double washboards, \$2.25@2.75; common
washboards, \$1.50@1.85; clothes pins, 50@85c
per box. Iron and Steel.

Bar iron, 1.20@1.30c; horseshoe bar, 24@ 214c; nail rod, 6c; plow slabs, 214c; American cast steel, 8c; tire steel, 214@3c; spring steel, 414@5c.

Leather—Oak sole, 30@40c; hemlock sole, 24@30c; harness, 28@30c; skirting, 31@32c; single strap, 4ic; black bridle, per doz, \$60@95; fair bridle, \$60@78 per doz; city kip, 55@75c; French kip, \$5c@\$1.10; city calf-skins, \$5c@\$1; French calfskins, \$1@1.80. Nails and Horseshoes. Steel cut nails, \$1.10; wire nails, \$1.25 rates; horseshoes, per keg, \$1.75; mule shoes, per keg, \$4.75; horse nails, \$405 per box.

Produce, Fruits and Vegetables. Bananas-Per bunch, \$171.25. Cabbage-Per brl. \$2.2572.30; California cabbage, \$3.25 per crate. Cranberries—\$11@12 per brl; \$4 per box. Sweet Potatoes—Jerseys, \$3@3.25 per b Illinois, \$2.50@2.75. Onions—Per bu, yellow, \$1; red, \$1.25 per bu; per barrel, yellow, \$2; per barrel, red, \$3.50; Spanish onions, \$1.35 per crate.
Cheese—New York full cream, 12@14c;

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Lemons—Messina, choice, \$243.59 per box; fancy lemons, \$4.
Potatoes—Per bri, \$2.5; per bu, 75c.
Seed potatoes—Early Ohio, \$1 per bushel;
Early Rose, 90c per bushel.
Apples—Per bri, New York and New England stock, seconds, \$3.50; choice, \$4.50.
Celery—Per bunch, 30@35c, according to quality. quality.
Oranges-Florida, \$3@3.50: California seedlings, \$2.75@3 per box; navels, \$3.50@3.75;
budded fruit, \$3.25@3.50.
Turnips-75c@\$1 per brl.
Parsnips-\$1.25@1.50 per brl.
Pine Apples-\$1.50@2 per doz.
Lettuce-15@18c per lb.
Onion Sets-Yellow, \$2.50; white, \$3 per bu.

Provisions. Bacon-Clear sides, 40 to 50 lbs average 7½c; 30 to 40 lbs average, 7½c; 20 to 30 lbs average, 7¾c. Bellies, 25 lbs average, 7½c; 14 to 16 lbs average, 7½c; 12 to 15 lbs average, 7½c; 12 to 25 lbs average, 7½c; 12 to 20 lbs average, 7½c; 9 to 10 lbs

verage, 7%c. Shoulders-English-cured, 12 lbs average, Shoulders—English-cured, 12 lbs average, 74c; 16 lbs average, 7c.

Hams—Sugar-cured, 18 to 20 lbs average, 10c; 16 lbs average, 104c; 12½ lbs average, 104c; 10 lbs average, 104c; block hams, 104c; all first brands; seconds, ½c less.

California hams, sugar-cured, 10 to 12 lbs average, 6%c. Boneless hams, sugar-cured, 84c. Pickled Pork—Bean pork, clear, per brl, 200 lbs. \$14; rump pork, \$12. Breakfast Bacon—Clear firsts, 11½c; seconds, 101/2c. Lard-Kettle-rendered, in tierces, 8%c;

Tinners' Supplies. Best brand charcoal tin, IC, 10x14, 14x20, 12x12, \$6@6.50; IX, 10x14, 14x20, 12x12, \$8@6.50; IX, 10x14, 14x20, 12x12, \$8@8.50; IC, 14x20, roofing tin, \$5.25@5.50; IC, 20x 28, \$10.50@11; block tin, in pigs, 25c; in bars, 27c. Iron—27 B iron, 3c; C iron, 4c; galvanized, 70 and 10 bc- cent. discount. Sheet zinc, 5@5½c. Copper bottoms, 20c. Planished copper, 24c. Solder, 13@14c.

Seeds.

Clover—Choice, recleaned, 60-lb, \$5.15@5.40; prime, \$5.25@5.40; English choice, \$5.40; prime, \$5.65; Alsike, choice, \$6.15@6.65; Alfalfa, choice, \$4.90@5.19; crimson or scarlet clover, \$3.90@4.40; timothy, 45-lb, choice, \$2.75@2.85; strictly prime, \$2.50@2.75; blue grass, \$2.65; strictly prime, \$2.50@2.60; blue grass, \$1.75; strictly prime, \$2.50@2.60; blue grass, \$2.65; strictly prime, \$2.60@2.60;

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Eighteen Transfers, with a Total Consideration of \$55,485. Instruments filed for record in the recorder's office of Marion county, Indiana, for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. nz. March 9, 1895, as furnished by Theo. Stein, abstracter of titles, Hartford Block, No. 84 East Market street.

East Market street.

Mary S. Olleman to Albert M.
Johnson, southeast quarter of the
northeast quarter of section 34,
township 17, range 4.....

Henry C. Campbell to George G.
Smith, part of lot 73 in Butler's
North addition.

Margaret M. Wright to Hannah
Richardson, lot 16 in Johnson &
Brown's addition to Northwood.

Minerva Gorham to Elbert E. Gorham, lot 69 in Harris, executor,
addition to Mount Jackson.

Elizabeth Gregg to Thomas H. Nelson, lot 46 in Walker's second addition to Haughville.

Martin Staeding to George W.
Shirts, lot 22 in Clark's third addition to West Indianapolis..... dition to West Indianapolis....... Marcella H. Maxwell to James L. wood.
John A. Hosbrook to Vernon H.
Bronson, lots 80 and 81 in Hosbrook's Prospect-street addition...
Sarah F. Spann to Gustav L. Bullock and wife, lot 9 in square 6 in Indianapolis Car Company's ad-George A. Emerson to Walter J. Hubbard, lot 122 in Bruce Place addition. Theodore F. Harrison to Thomas J. East. lot 37 in Frank's Tinker-East, lot 37 in Frank's Tinkerstreet addition.

George W. Stout to Henry Van
Hummel, lot 6 and part of lot 7
in Coe's subdivision of square 6.

Frank J. Grieshaber to John H.
Grim, lot 2 in block 1 in Barth's
heirs' addition

Addle Nichols to Charles W. Meikel,
lot 55 in Fleming's fourth north

475.00 Transfers, 18; consideration

THE COURT RECORD. Superior Court. Room 1-John L. McMaster, Judge. Indianapolis Planing Mill Company vs. Calvin N. Sheeley et al.; mechanic's lien. Room 2-Lawson M. Harvey, Judge.

D. P. Erwin vs. William O. Sheets; suit on note. Judgment by default vs. defense for \$439 and costs. Room 3-Pliny W. Barthelomew, Judge. Jacob Edwards vs. Henry C. Landers; suit on note. Judgment for plaintiff in the sum of \$108.17.

Joseph P. Brown vs. William F. Koss et al.; trial by jury. Verdict for defend-

Circuit Court.

Edgar A. Brown, Judge. Thomas R. Easterday vs. Luther R. Easterday's estate; claim. Dismissed for want of prosecution.

George L. H. Rice vs. Luther R. Easterday's estate; claim. Dismissed for want of prosecution.
Sarah E. Johnson vs. Luther R. East-crday's estate; claim. Dismissed for want P. Gramberg & Son vs. Luther R. East-erday's estate; claim. Dismissed for want f prosecution. Indianpolis Brewing Company vs. Michael Hoffman's estate: claim. Dismissed by agreement at costs of the estate. Casper Hess vs. Pauline Helmick's estate; claim. Allowed by administrator for \$115.54. New Massachusetts Saving and Loan Association vs. Pauline Heimich's estate; claim. Allowed by administrator for \$775.90. Jacob Metzger & Co. vs. Chas. Wagner's estate; claim. Dismissed for want of pros-McCune-Malott Co. vs. Chas. Wagner's estate; claim. Dismissed for want of pros-H. H. Beville, trustee, vs. Chas, Wagner's estate; claim. Trial by court.
William L. Wright vs. Wilbur C. Beard; trial by court. Finding in favor of plaintiff for \$690. Noble C. Butler vs. R. R. Rouse's estate; claim. Trial by court. Finding in favor of claimant for \$63.01 and costs.

William Bauer vs. John Lutz; on guardian's bond. On trial by court. New Suits Filed.

Fannie Bushong vs. Deniza Bushong et al.; suit for damages. Superior Court, Jessie R. Coy vs. Arthur C. Coy; suit for divorce. Superior Court, Room 1.

Dania Building and Loan Association vs.
Jennie Peddicord; suit to foreclose. Superior Court, Room 2. Mary C. Hunt vs. The American Laundry Company; suit on notes. Superior Court. Eliza A. Freeman vs. Nelson B. Free-nan; suit for divorce. Superior Court. Room a

Tale of Two Cities. Hoston Globe

"I should have you know, sir, that I am a Londoner, and was born in London."
"But I, sir, was born in Cork, and I am

MARKET NEWS BULLISH SATURDAY AND WHEAT ADVANCED 7-SC.

Important Item in Michigan Crop Report That Affected All Grain Markets-Pork Declined.

CHICAGO, March 9.-The market news to-day was almost exclusively and somewhat enthusiastically builish, and May wheat closed with %c gain. Corn gained %c and oats %c, but provisions finished slight-

In wheat the most prominent feature of the early news was the Michigan crop report. The total of last year's wheat crop, which was 21.627,000 bu for the State, has already all been used up, and therefore there is no wheat in Michigan now but represents surplusage from previous crops. The weather was cold, and after a spell of mild weather and rain it had turned cold enough since the day before to convert the rain and melted snow in the wheat fields into sheets of ice. The week's exports of flour and wheat from both coasts amounted to 3,272,000 bu, compared with 2,689,000 bu a week ago, and 2.851,000 bu a year ago. The primary market receipts were 294,000 bu. The Liverpool market was quoted firm, with upward tendency. A dispatch was received stating that Newport News had shipped 48,000 bris of flour and 50,000 bu of wheat in twenty-four hours, and that freight engagements had been made for the shipment of 600,000 bu of wheat during the remainder of the month of March. Shorts became buyers and the market wound up strong. May opened 14c higher, at 54%c, and did not get below 54%c, closing at 55c. The day's business in corn was good in

amount and generally on the up grade in the matter of prices. The carload market was firm and made a similar advance to that made in the pit, although the demand came chiefly from the elevator people, the through billed market being comparatively slack. New York advised acceptances of cable offers made from there vesterday and that market was guarded from the cable of t that market was quoted firm in consethat market was quoted firm in consequence. The export clearances from the four principal Atlantic ports were very light; but, 237,000 bushels were reported cleared from Newport News. May opened at from 45%c to 45%c, sold up to 45%c and closed with sellers at the latter figure.

To-day the bullish feeling in wheat and corn also took a hold on oats and for a brief period considerable activity was noticeable. This, however, was cut short by the closing bell before any especial factors could materialize. Prices followed those of corn, opening about steady, selifactors could materialize. Prices followed those of corn, opening about steady, selling up and resting at the top prices of the day. May from 294@294c to 294c.

The provision market lost a trifle of the bullish feeling which was so prominent the day before. Pork opened with a drop from \$11 as it closed yesterday, to \$10.85 and sold as low as \$10.824c. Afterward, the strength in wheat and corn gave a "bracer" under which its spirits rose. The price advanced to \$10.974c, and it closed at \$10.95, sellers, a decline of 5c for the day. Lard and ribs dropped .024c of yesterday's closing value. Bandwin and Sam Wolf were the most prominent buyers and were the most prominent buyers and Cudahy Packing Company the best sellers.

Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 0 cars; corn, 185 cars; cats, 125 cars; hogs, 5,000 head. Leading futures ranged as follows: Open- High- Low- Clos-Articles. ing. Wheat-Mar Oats-May\$10.85 6.65 6.60 6.75 6.721/2 5.60 5.571/2 5.721/2 5.70 Ribs-May

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour-Winter patents, \$2.50@2.75; winter straights, \$2.35@2.60; spring patents, \$3.10@3.51; spring Winter patents, \$2.50@2.75; winter straights, \$2.35@2.60; spring patents, \$3.10@3.50; spring straights, \$2.10@2.75; bakers, \$1.75@2.10. No 2 spring wheat, 55@59c; No. 3 spring wheat, nominal; No. 2 red, 52%@35%c; No. 2 corn, 44c; No. 3 yellow corn, 43%c; No. 2 oats, 28%c; No. 2 white, 31%@32%c; No. 2 white, 31%@32%c; No. 2 barley, 53@54c; No. 3, 53@53%c; No. 4, nominal; No. 1 flaxseed, \$1.42; prime timothy seed, \$5.85; mess pork, per brl, \$10.80@11; lard, 6.52%c; short-rib sides (loose), 5.45@5.50c; dry-salted shoulders (boxed), 4%d%d%c; short-clear sides (boxed), 5.70@5.75c; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal, \$1.28.

On the Produce Exchange, to-day, the butter market was not quoted. Eggs steady and unchanged.

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Receipts—Flour, 10,000 brls; wheat, 8,000 bu; corn, 80,000 bu; oats, 111,000 bu; rye, 2,000 bu; barley, 9,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 10,000 brls; wheat, 10,000 bu; corn, 44,000 bu; oats, 120,000 bu; rye, 1,000 bu; barley, 8,000 bu.

AT NEW YORK.

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Seaboard's Commercial Metropolis. NEW YORK, March 9.—Flour—Receipts, 19,900 bris; exports, 4,300 bris; sales, 7,300 packages. Market firm with a fair demand for low grade winters; city mill quiet at \$4@4.15; winter patents, \$2.80@3.15; city mill clears, \$3.35; winter straights, \$1.70@ 2.15; Minnesota patents, \$3.05@3.80; winter extras, \$1.90@2.40; Minnesota bakers' \$2@ 3.60; winter low grades, \$1.70@2.50; spring low grades, \$1.75@1.90; spring extras, \$1.85 @2.35; Southern flour dull; common to fair extra, \$1.89@2.40; good to choice extra, \$2.40 62.95. Rye flour firm; sales, 300 brls; superfine, \$2.70@2.90; fancy, \$2.90@3.15. Buckwheat flour dull at \$1.60@1.70; buckwheat quiet at 49@53c. Corn meal quiet; yellow Western, \$1.08@1.10; Brandywine, \$2.90, Rye nominal; car lots, 55c; boat loads, 55@56c. Barley steady; No. 2 Milwaukee, 65c delivered; two-rowed State, 60@61c; Canada, 70@721/c. Barley malt steady; Western, 70 @72c; Canada Western, 68@70c; six-rowed.

Wheat-Receipts, none; exports, 95,500 bu: sales, 1,345,000 bu futures, 112,000 bu spot. Spots strong; No. 2 red, in store and elevator, 59%c; afloat, 60%c; f. o. b., 61%c afloat; No. 1 Northern, 68%c delivered; No. 1 hard, 69%c delivered. Options ruled higher all the morning on big weekly exports from both coasts, firm cables, a big decrease in English farmers' deliveries for the week, bullish Michigan State report and good covering. Trading mostly local, closed at 58%c; Julechigher. No. 2 red, March, closed at 59%c; May, 59%660c, closed at 59%c; June closed at 59%c; July, 59%660 1-16c, closed at 60c; August closed at 60c; September closed at 60%c; December, 62%662 15-16c, closed at 62%c.

Corn—Receipts, 9,800 bu; exports, 1,100 bu; sales, 285,000 bu futures, 6,000 bu spot. Spots market strong; No. 2, 50%c in elevator; steamer yellow, 51%c delivered. Options ruled higher on expectations of a bullish crop report Monday and sympathy with wheat, closing 140%c higher. May, 49%66 50%c, closed at 50%c; July, 49%650, closed at 50c.

Oats—Receipts, 64,100 bu; exports, 1,500 bu; sales, 25,000 bu futures, 20,000 bu sales, 1,345,000 bu futures, 112,000 bu spot. Oats-Receipts, 64,100 bu; exports, 1,500 Oats—Receipts, 54,100 bu; exports, 1,500 bu; sales, 25,000 bu futures, 30,000 bu spot. Spots firm; No. 2, 3314@3334c; No. 2 delivered. 34'4c; No. 3, 32'4c; No. 2 white, 37c; No. 3 white, 36'4c. Track white, 37c/4lc. Options higher with corn, closing at 3c net advance; March closed at 235'4c; May, 238'40 235'4c, closed at 235'4c; May, 238'40 large sales in all departments to-day was modified by the half boilday. The week has been one of large sales in all departments and jobbers. vance; March closed at 33%c; May, 33%@ 23%c, closed at 33%g.

Hay steady; shipping, 45@50c; good to choice, 55@70c. Hops weak; State, common to choice, old. 3@7c; 1894, 4@10c; coast, old. 31/@7c; 1894, 6@11c.

Hides steady; wet salted New Orleans selected, 45 to 65 pounds, 51/@6c; Buenos Ayres, dry, 20 to 24 pounds, 13/213%c; Texas, dry, 24 to 30 pounds. 7@71/c. Leather firm; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres, light to heavy weights. 141/@17c.

Beef steady; family, \$10@12.50; extra mess, \$7.50@8. Beef hams, \$18; trierced beef, packed, \$3/210; city extra India mess, \$16/218.50. Cut meats steady; pickled bellies, 51/206c; pickled shoulders, 1/204%c; pickled hams, 8/28/4c. Lard easy; Western steam closed at 6.8c nominal. Sales city at 6%@8c; sales 100 tierces. Option sales, March closed at 6.8c nominal; refined steady; continent, 7.20c; S. A. 7.60c; compound, 5c.

Pork quiet but firm; new mess, \$11.500, 12.25; family, \$11.500, 12; short-clear, \$11/20; 14.75.

Butter weaker; Western dairy, 8@1214c; Western creamery, 14@19c; Western factory, 7@12c; Elgins, 194c; imitation creamery, 9 @14c; State dairy, 12@18c; State creamery, Cheese quiet; State, large, 96111/2c; small, 94/612c; part skims, 3664/2c; full skims 14/ Eggs lower: State and Pennsylvania, 15c; Western fresh, 15½c; Southern, 14015½c; receipts, 6,426 packages.

Tallow firm; city, 4¾c; country, 4¾c. Cotton-seed oil quiet; prime crude, 22c; off crude, 20622c; prime summer yellow, 25c; off summer yellow, 25d25c, nominal; yellow butter grades, 27628c; prime summer white, 32629c, nominal.

Coffee—Options opened quiet and un-

changed to 5 points advance, ruled exceptionally dull and featureless on small local trading; closed dull at 5@10 points net advance. Sales, 1,250 bags, including; March. 15.15c, and July, 14.85c. Spot coffee—Rio nominal; No. 7, 164c. Mild quiet; Cordova, 1842@19c. Rio—Strong; No. 7 Rio, 16c; exchange, 9 9-16d; receipts, 5,000 bags; cleared for the United States, 10,000 bags; cleared for Europe, 1,000 bags; stock, 139,000 bags; cleared from Rio March 8, 24,000 bags; cleared from New York vesterday, 6,76 bags; New York stock to-day, 135,441 bags; United States stock, 170,735 bags; afloat for the United States, 231,000 bags; total visible for the United States, 491,736 bags, against 470,919 bags last year. Sugar—Raw steady to arm; fair refining, #81.738 bags, against 470.919 bags last year.

Sugar—Raw steady to firm; fair refining.

2 11-16c; centrifugal. 96 test, 3c. Refined steady; No. 6, 31263 11-16c; No. 7, 3 7-1643 3%c; No. 8, 31463 7-16c; No. 9, 3 3-1663%c; No. 10, 31463 5-16c; No. 11, 3 3-1663%c; No. 12, 3 1-16624c; No. 12, 3c; off A, 3 11-1663 3 13-16c; mold A, 41264 5-16c; standard A, 33463 15-16c; confectioners A, 33463 15-16c; cut loaf, 41264 11-16c; crushed, 41264 11-16c; powdered, 41264 5-16c; granulated, 37464 11-16c; cubes, 41264 5-16c; granulated, 37464 11-16c; cubes, 41264 5-16c.

Rice quiet; domestic, fair to extra, 41266 65%c; Japan, 412644 5-16c.

Molasses firm; New Orleans open kettle, good to choice, 336036c. Oranges quiet; California, \$2.7563.25; Havana, \$3.5074.

English Grain Trade. LONDON, March 9.-The weather continues milder. According to general opinion the British wheat crop has escaped damage. The market for wheat during the past week ruled firm, owing to light stocks in the United Kingdom, restricted offers, stronger advices and better demand from the continent. Earlier in the week Amerthe continent. Earlier in the week American advices gave some support to the market, which closed firm but inactive for cargoes. Parcels were in moderate demand and spot quiet. Red winter parcel from New York, on passage, was quoted at 21s 10½d. Maize was firm, scarce and in fair demand. Mixed American parcel, March delivery, was quoted at 19s 6d. Barley was firm at 3d to 6d dearer. Oats were firm but not active. not active.

TRADE IN GENERAL.

Quotations at St. Louis, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Other Points.

ST. LOUIS, March 9.—Flour firm but quiet; patents, \$2.50@2.70; extra faficy, \$2.40 ?2.45; fancy, \$2.10@2.50; choice, \$1.80@1.90. Wheat opened firm at %c advance, but after early buyers were supplied the market eased off %2%c, became dull for a time, then through a sudden sharp demand advanced %c, closing at the top with sellers %c above yesterday. No. 2 red, cash, 53%-53%c bid; May, 53%-653%c; July, 53%-c. Corn dull and firm for futures; later, on boom in wheat advanced and closed %2%-c over yesterday's close; spot firm and higher on call; No. 2 mixed, cash, 41%c; May, 42%-64%c; July, 43%c bid. Oats—Advances in other cereals helped oats, which closed with advance of %2%c over yesterday; No. 2, cash, 30%c bid; May, 30%c bid; June, 30%-630%c bid. Rye dull; No. 2 offered, east side at 57c. Barley nominal. Brandull and easier; 71c asked for east track. Flaxseed quiet at \$1.36. Clover seed higher; choice, \$8.40@8.50. Butter dull and easy; fancy Eligin, 20c; separator creamery, 14% 15c; good to choice dairy, 11@13c. Eggs lower; fresh, 10%c. Corn meal, \$2@2.06. Whisky, \$1.28 for distillers' finished goods. Bagging steady. Cotton ties steady. Pork—Standard mess jobbing, \$11. Lard—Prime steam, 6.40c; choice, 6.50c. Dry-salt meats—Boxed shoulders, 4.50c; longs, 5c; ribs, 6.12%c; shorts, 6.25c. Receipts—Flour, 4,000 brls; wheat, 7,000 bu; corn, 26,000 bu; oats, 20,000 bu; Shipments—Flour, 7,000 bu; wheat, 5,000 bu; corn, 1,000 bu; oats, 11,000 bu.

BALITIMORE. March 9.—Flour unchanged: Baltimore and Other Points. bu; corn, 1,000 bu; oats, 11,000 bu. BALTIMORE, March 9 .- Flour unchanged;

receipts, 12,390 bris; shipments, 25,601 bris sales, 1,775 bris. Wheat firmer; spot and sales, 1,775 brls. Wheat firmer: spot and month, 59%c bid; May 60%60%c steamer; No. 2 red, 56%656%c; receipts, 5,974 bu; shipments, 24,000 bu; stock, 436,469 bu; sales, 10,000 bu; Southern wheat by sample, 58%660c; Southern on grade, 57660c. Corn strong; spot, 48%648%c; month, 48%c bid; May, 49%69%c; steamer mixed, 47%647%c; receipts, 21,559 bu; shipments, 17,143 bu; stock, 39%87; bu; sales, 8,000 bu; Southern white corn, 48%649c; Southern yellow, 48%48%c. Oats firm; No. 2 white Western, 36%637c; No. 2 mixed, 34%34%c; receipts, 1,142 bu; stock, 228,816 bu; Rye dull; No. 2, 57c; receipts, 916 bu; stock, 71,132 bu. Hay steady; good demand; good to choice timothy, \$12.50683. Grain freights steady and unchanged. Sugar firm and unchanged. Butter steady and unchanged. Eggs weak; fresh, 14c. Cheese firm and unchanged.

PHILADELPHIA, March 9.—Wheat firm and 4c higher; No. 2 red, March, 594,6594c; May, 603664c; June, 604,6604c. Corn firm and 464c higher; No. 2 mixed, March, 484,649c; April, 484,649c; May, 494,6494c; June, 494,650c. Oats were a shade stronger; No. 2 white, March, 364,637c; April, 364,637c; May, 376374c; June, 374,6374c. Butter dull and unchanged; tancy Western creamery, 19c; fancy Pennsylvania prints, 22c; fancy jobbing, 21624c. Eggs quiet but steady; fresh near by, 16c; fresh Western, 16c. Cheese firm. Refined sugars strong and tending higher. Tallow unchanged. Cotton firm. Live poultry steady and in fair request. Dressed poultry firm and in fair demand. Receipts—Flour, 2,809 bris, 1,630 sacks; wheat, 4,000 bu; corn, 4,000 bu; coats, 14,000 bu; oats, 15,000 bu.

KANSAS CITY, March 9.—Wheat higher; PHILADELPHIA, March 9.-Wheat firm

bu; oats, 15,000 bu.

KANSAS CITY, March 9.—Wheat higher; No. 2 hard, 52c; No. 2 red, 52\(\pi_2\)52\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; rejected, 48c. Corn active and \(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\pi_2\)c; higher; No. 2 mixed, 40\(\pi_4\)0\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; No. 2 white, 40\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\pi_4\)0 ats firm; No. 2 white, 31c. Rye firm; No. 2, 52c. Flaxseed dull at \$1.30. Bran firm at 67\(\pi_6\)9c. Hay dull, weak and unchanged. Butter weak; creamery, 14\(\pi_1\)18c; dairy, 11\(\pi_1\)14c. Eggs weak and unsettled at 10\(\frac{1}{2}\)c for strictly fresh. Receipts—Wheat, 1,000 bu; corn, 29,000 bu; oats, 10,000 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 16,000 bu; corn and oats, none. Wheat, 16,000 bu; corn and oats, none. Wheat, 16,000 bu; corn and oats, none.

TOLEDO, March 9.—Wheat active and higher: No. 2, May, 56%c; July, 57c. Corn firm and higher; No. 2 mixed, 43½c; No. 3 mixed, 43c. Oats steady; No. 2 mixed, 31c; No. 2 white, 33½c. Rye steady; cash, 55½c. Clover seed active and higher; prime cash, \$5.65; March, \$5.60. Receipts—Wheat, 14,000 bu; corn, 11,000 bu; clover seed, 700 bags. Shipments—Flour, 2,000 brls; wheat, 52,000 bu; corn, 42,500 bu; oats, 1,000 bu; rye, 4,000 bu; clover seed, 1,207 bags.

bu; clover seed, 1,207 bags.

CINCINNATI, March 9.—Flour steady.
Wheat stronger; No. 2 red, 55c. Receipts, 2,000 bu; shipments, 500 bu. Corn firm; No. 2 mixed, 432,444c. Oats firm and quiet; No. 2 mixed, 32c. Rye quiet; No. 2, 58c. Pork quiet and firm at \$11.25. Lard steady at 6.45c. Bulk meats firm at 5.3545.374c. Bacon in good demand at 6.75c. Whisky steady; sales, 659 bris at \$1.25. Butter firm. Sugar steady. Eggs quiet at 12c, Cheese steady. DETROIT, March 9.—Market %c higher and firm. Wheat—No. 1 white, 57%c; No. 2 red, 56c; No. 3, red, 55c; May, 56%c; July, 57%c. Corn—No. 2, 43%c. Oats—No. 2 white, 33%c; No. 2, mixed, 31%c. Rye—No. 2, 56c. Clover seed, \$5.60. Receipts—Wheat, 4,700 bu; corn, 1,700 bu; cats, 2,800. MINNEAPOLIS, March 9.—Flour firm; first patents in wood, \$3.20@3.45; second patents, \$2.75@3; first clears, \$2.25; low grades, \$1.60@1.70.

Dry Goods.

FALL RIVER, Mass., March 9.—The week in the print cloth market was marked by the breaking of the record for low prices. Gobds were sold at 27-16c. The lowest previous record was 2½c. The market had been very dull at 2½c and outside markets had dropped to 27-16c. Sales here naturally followed and then the market became very dull. There is now no demand at 27-16c. The buyers are bidding 2%c, but even that not strongly. The manufacturers are holding steadily at 27-16c. The prospect for better business is not good. The total sales for the week were fair. Odds to be made constituted the bulk of them. The regulars sold are for March and April delivery, with most of them for the latter month. They nearly all went at the low price. The sales for odds for the week were on a basis of from 2½c down to 27-16c. The present inquiry is for odds and regulars are receiving no attention. The deliveries were off some, but not enough to cause a material decrease in the stock.

NEW YORK, March 9.—Business in all

large sales in all departments and jobbers' stocks throughout the country have under-gone considerable reduction, as has been shown in the renewed demand for bleached and other cottons. Printing cloths are dull at 27-16c. Sales for the week were 170 000 pages, of which two-thirds were Cotton.

Laverpool., March 9.—Cotton in fair demand; prices higher; American middling, fair, 311-15d; good middling, 3½d; American middling, 2 31-32d; low middling, 2 21-32d; good ordinary, 2 27-32d; ordinary, 2 21-32d. The sale of the day were 10,600 bales, of which 1,520 were for speculation and expart, and included 8,300 American; receipts, 16,000 Lales, including 14,000 American. N'W GRLEANS, March 9.-Cotton very daing, 55-16c; low middling, 4 15-16c; minary, 4%c; net receipts, 7,788 bales; 23 bales; exports to Great Britain, 81.86 files: to France, 9.200 bales; coast-wise, ,293 bales; sales, 6,809 bales; stock, 354.07 bales. Mid B. IS, March 9.—Cotton firm and 1-5e ing er: middling, 54e: sales, 2,000 nates? receipts, 1,185 bales; shipments, 2,794 bales; stock, 97,168 bales.

NE V YORK, March 9.—Cottoh quiet; midelling 5 15-16c; net receipts, 1.007 bales; gross, 1,658 bales; stock, 185,696 bales. LONDON, March 2.—At the wool sales to-day 12,150 bales were offered, of which 800 were withdrawn. The catalogues were more varied, the attendance was crowded, the bid-

dings animated and prices were fully sustained. American buyers made further purchases to-day. Following are the sales in detail: New South Wales-2,577 bales; scoured, 1s; greasy, 34,6834d. Queensland—3,104 bales; scoured, 7d@1s; greasy, 34,984d. V.ctoria-662 bales; scoured, 11d@1s; greasy, 5911d. South Australia-1,260 bales; greasy, 34,9674d. Swan river-696 bales; scoured, 42,844d. New Zealand-2,704 bales; scoured, 6d@1s 6d; greasy, 54,964d. Cape of Good Hope and Natal-1,155 bales; scoured, 74,964d s 44,d; greasy, 44,9654d. Next week's offerings amount to 74,210 bales. The imports this week were 89,439 bales.

NEW YORK, March 2,—Wood steady: do-NEW YORK, March 9,-Wool steady; do-mestic fleece, 15@28c; pulled, 19@24c.

NEW YORK, March 9 .- Petroleum nom-NEW YORK, March 9.—Petrolenm nominal and unchanged, closing at \$1.07% bid; refined New York, 6.60c; Philadelphia and Baltimore, 6.55c; Philadelphia and Baltimore in bulk, 4.05c; Washington brls, 7c, nominal; Washington in bulk, 4.50c, nominal, Rosin firm; strained, common to good, \$1.55 %1.60. Spirits of turpentine firm at 36%36/gc. SAVANNAH, March 9.—Spirits of turpentine firm; sales, 5 brls at 33/gc, 10% brls at 34c. Rosin firm; window white, \$3.56; window glass, \$3.30; sales, window glass, 32 brls at \$3.25; 52 brls at \$3.55; window glass, 49 brls at \$3.10; 74 brls at \$3.70. 49 bris at \$3.10; 74 bris at \$3.70. OIL CITY, Pa., March 9.—National Transit certificates opened at \$1.07%; highest, \$1.68%; lowest, \$1.67%; closed \$1.07%. Sales 19.000 brls; clearances, 68,000 brls; shipments, 97,-872 brls; runs, 80,680 brls.

WH.MINGTON, March 9.—Rosin firm; strained, \$1.15; good, \$1.20. Spirits of turpentine firm at 324c. Tar firm at \$1. Turpentine firm; hard, \$1.10; soft, \$1.50; virgin, CHARLESTON, March 9.—Rosin firm at \$15. Spirits of turpentine firm at 33c.

NEW YORK, March 9.—Pig iron weak; Scotch, \$19@20; American, \$9@12.50. Copper dull; brokers' price, \$9.40. Lead weaker; brokers' price, 2.95c. Plates weak. ST. LOUIS, March 2.—Lead higher at 2.85 @2.8714c. Spelter very quiet at 2.9714c.

LIVE STOCK.

Cattle Quiet and Lower-Hogs Active and Higher-Sheep Stendy. INDIANAPOLIS, March 9.-Cattle-Receipts none, shipments, 100. There were but few fresh arrivals and the market was

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Sheep and Lambs-Hardly enough here to establish a market. The feeling is steady,

Bucks, per head............. 2.0 CHICAGO. March 9.—In cattle to-day's receipts were about 1.000 and for the week the total is about 45,425. There was only a limited demand, but it did not need to be very considerable to take care of so small a supply. Sales were on a basis of \$3.75\overline{a}\$ 6.10 for common to fancy dressed beef and shipping steers, \$2.50\overline{a}\$4.50 for stockers and feeders, and \$1.50\overline{a}\$4.50 for cows and bulls. Texas cattle were quoted at \$3\overline{a}\$3.50 for bad bulls and \$3.7\overline{a}\$5 for steers.

The receipts of hogs were estimated at 23.000, making 205,139 for this week, which is about 20.000 more than for last week.

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The sheep market was without important change. There was not much demand, but receipts were few and were easily disposed of at yesterday's quotations, sales making on a basis of \$2.50@4.50 for poor to choice sheep and \$3.25@5.50 for lambs.

Receipts were about 800 head and the total for the week were 55,000 against 50,564 last week and 52.225 a year ago.

Receipts—Cattle, 1,000; calves, 50; hogs, 23, 000; sheep, 800.

ST. LOUIS, March 9.—Cattle-Receipts, 400; shipments, 1,700. The supply was too meager to make a market, and only a retail trade was done, at previous quotations.

'Hogs-Receipts, 1,400; shipments, 6,600.
Market weak and 5c lower; heavy, \$4.200, 4.40; mixed, \$464.30; light, \$3.9004.20.
Sheep-Receipts, 200; shipments, 400. Best grades firm; common weak. Fair native mixed, \$363.45; medium, \$3.5073.90; top

grades, \$425@6. LOUISVILLE, March 9.-Cattle-Market LOUISVILLE, March 9.—Cattle—Market closed steady on all grades; extra shipping, \$4.50@4.75; best butchers, \$3.75@4.10; feeders, \$3.63.60; stockers, \$2.63. Hogs-Receipts light; market ruled steady; throughout the day. The outlook is fair. Choice packing and butchers, \$4.25@4.35. Sheep—Good to extra shipping sheep, \$2.75@3; fair to good, \$2.50@2.75; extra lambs, \$3.50@3.75; fair to good, \$3.63.50. @3.75; fair to good, \$3@3.50.

EAST BUFFALO, March 9.—Cattle—Recelpts, 45 head; dull and 10@15c lower.

Hogs—Recelpts, 3,850 head; market easier to 5c lower; mixed packers, \$4.40@4.50; mediums, \$4.45@4.50; good heavy, \$4.50@4.55.

Sheep and Lambs—Recelpts, 6,200 head; market slow and easier; sheep, \$1.75@3.90; wethers, \$4@4.85; lambs, \$3.25@5.55.

CINCINNATI, March 9.—Hogs active at \$3.85@4.50; receipts, 1,500; shipments, 1,200.

Cattle active and strong at \$2.50@5.20; receipts, 200; shipments, 100. ceipts, 200; shipments, 100. Sheep firm at \$2@4.50; receipts, 100; ship-Lambs in fair demand and strong at 33

EAST LIBERTY, March 9.—Cattle steadu; prime, \$5.25@5.50; good, \$4.80@5.10; bulls, stage and cows. \$2@2.45. Hogs active at unchanged prices. Sheep dull; extra. \$4.20@4.40; good, \$3.80@4; common to fair lambs, \$2.30@4.30. Likely to Be Out of Pocket.

Washington Special.

There is weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth among lobbyists and members of Congress who hold pledges against the \$5,000,000 appropriation for the payment of sugar bounties. The amount appropriated is \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 short of the total of the claims on file, and the Secretary of the Treasury has intimated, so it is said, that in his opinion there will be no money available to pay these bounties until after July. in his opinion there will be no money available to pay these bounties until after July I. In this connection the pledge-holders are perturbed lest they will have to stand the loss when the Secretary scales the claims. The bounty claimants are already putting up the defense that they are entitled to a certain net percentage on such claims, contingent promises to be made good from whatever is left. Lobbyists and bounty legislators feel deeply aggrieved over the cutlook.

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